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Requested by Senator Jim Shockley

For the Senate Judiciary Committee

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1. Title, line 6.

Following: "COMMUNICATIONS"
Insert: "IN INITIAL HEARINGS"

Following: "COMMITMENT"

Strike: "PURPOSES"

2. Page 2, line 8 through line 10.

Strike: subsection (5) in its entirety

Insert: "(5) A two-way electronic audio-video communication may
 not be used:

- (a) in an initial hearing provided for in 53-21-122 if the professional person objects; or
- (b) in a hearing referred to in subsections (3) (b) through (3) (g) if a respondent or patient, the respondent's or patient's counsel, or the professional person objects."